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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I further think it is unfair to charge me (as you are) for this fund for 3 different phone systems. I presently have SBC in San Diego as my land line lifeline. I am Charged on that system. I have a cell phone that I use for emergency communications while out of the house. I am Charged on that system. I have a Trac Fone for use when I am traveling and pay in my fees for those charges and now you want to increase my bills by \$3.00 per month. That is unfair considering I make virtually no calls on any of the phones. I think the people that use a commodity should pay for it. Not me paying for someone that does not.  
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Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members